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RE: UCD Modernization
Kennecott Corporation
Flotation and Molybdenum
Recovery Facilities Addition

Dear Mr. Boyce:

We have reviewed your December 9, 1986 submittal on relocating the flotation and molybdenum recovery facilities to the Copperton grinding plant site. We have the following comments on the above referenced project:

- 1. We need to review the design details for the 5-inch steel pipeline which will transport copper concentrate. A plan and profile drawing of the pipeline should be included. We need to be able to evaluate the structural integrity of the pipeline.
- 2. The quality and volume of water to be transported by the 5-inch steel pipeline needs to be reported.
- 3. The quality and quantity of tailings water to be transported by the 48-inch tailings pipeline are needed. We realize you have identified all the process reagents and their respective concentrations, but we need to know the overall water quality (including TDS, BOD, and TSS) the tailings pipeline will carry.

We will continue our review of the proposed additional facilities as soon as the above information is submitted. Please contact either Mr. Bryon Elwell or Mr. Mack Croft of our staff if there are any questions.

Sincerely,

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